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THOMAS WELCH.

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**Dissolution Notice.**

A. Johnson and E. W. Rice, by mutual consent, have dissolved the partnership heretofore existing between them. All accounts will be settled by E. W. Rice, who will continue the business. 1569tf  
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**Taken Up.**

On the 14th day of April, a two year old roan heifer, black and white. The owner can obtain the same by calling at my place in Alma, proving property and paying charges, including cost of this notice. 703672.  
ABRAHAM SHAW.

**For Sale.**

I offer, for sale, my horse and carriage, two robes, net, and all their fixtures. The horse is 9 years old, a very kind family horse. 704f  
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**Buggies.**

I shall keep for sale the best buggies ever brought into this market, also a full line of agricultural implements. My motto is "good goods at fair prices." Come and see me. C. W. YOUNG.

**To Builders.**

Sealed proposals for building a school house in District No. 2, Paw Paw, will be received till Saturday, May 9, at 12 m. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved. Plans and specifications may be obtained of any of the undersigned. 7112072  
C. W. YOUNG,  
ALBERT HARRISON, Building Com.  
JAMES MCLEOD.

**To Whom It May Concern.**

Notice is hereby given that my signature to a promissory note conditioned for the payment of the sum of seven hundred and fifty (750.00) dollars, running to A. J. Davis or bearer, and bearing date April 28th, 1885, was obtained by fraud and misrepresentation, and I never received any value for said note, and I caution the public not to purchase said note, as I shall never pay it. At the time of my signing the said note "full payment and satisfaction thereof" was endorsed upon the back of said note by said A. J. Davis. Respectfully, NELSON ROWE.  
Dated Hartford, Mich., April 14, 1885.

**Local Department.**

Miss Hattie Van Kirk began her school in the Young's district, just west of town, on Monday last.

A disastrous fire occurred at Cassopolis on the evening of the 20th inst. Losses about \$20,000; insurance about \$8,000.

Frank Stearns is home for a visit of a week or so. Traveling seems to agree with Frank. He looks tough as a buck.

Frank Kelly of Cadillac, spent Sunday with friends in town. He returned home on Monday taking his family with him.

The Alma telegraph company will hold its annual meeting at A. C. Glidden's, on Saturday May 2d, at 7 p. m. All interested are invited to be present.

A very pretty post office war is in progress at Allegan. As republicans own neither the husband nor the bear, they rather enjoy the racket, and care not which wins.

Dr. Dunning has so far recovered as to be able to come down town. He has four legs, but only uses three of them to any great extent; a sort of quadrupedal tripod, as it were.

Last Sunday, as Mr. and Mrs. Will Mosier were driving out to Alma, their horse stumbled and fell, breaking its shoulder. They had to knock it in the head to save its life.

Will Thayer, on Monday last, shipped 161 fat sheep to the Buffalo market. Their average weight was 114 pounds in their shirtheaves. A finer lot of mutton, probably, never left our country.

The supervisor is on the war path, and now is the time when the friendless canine hath neither owner nor permanent abiding place, neither bath in a place where he may rest his weary limbs in peace.

The handsome babies we mentioned last week belong to Kate Anderson, and not to her sister Hattie, who is not yet a nation. No doubt, if she ever marries and has a family, her babies will be just as good looking as Kate's.

Making gardens is occupying the time of many of our citizens. We know one gentleman who has already set out his tomatoes, planted his beans, melons, cucumbers, etc. He has been rather previous in the matter and may yet receive a disastrous call from old Jack F.

Sixty-one teachers were examined at Bloomingdale.

The Cass County Agricultural society will hold no fair during the present year.

At M. E. church next Sabbath, both morning and evening, Rev. Paul Des Jardins, a young man of talent.

There will be a special meeting of the Paw Paw Fire Department at Town Hall, Thursday evening, April 30th.

The Paw Paw polo clubs will play a match game at the Star rink, Gobles, next Saturday evening. The boys always take a crowd with them.

The Christian church social will be held at the residence of Mr. James Bullard, on Tuesday evening next. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed for at the post office in this village, for the week ending April 27th: Hillard & Demot; Henston, Mr. George; McDougal, Lorenza; Scott, Joe.

A new grocery establishment is about to be opened in town. Ed. Foster and Ab. Showerman will put in a stock of groceries on the west side of Warner's meat market, which has been fitted up for their occupancy.

Guy Harrison has graduated from the NORTHERNER office, and gone to southern Indiana, on a skating tour, with Bert Moon. If he gets hard up, he can "sub" in some print shop and get money enough to get home.

An officer from Cass county was in town last Sunday, looking for a wooden legged ducky and a demented white girl who had taken French leave from the Cass county poor house. The parties had been here and gone north.

He threatened to smash us into "pi" if we mentioned the fact that he went home Saturday night and left the keys in his store door, where he found them Monday morning and, therefore, we keep still and make no noise about it.

We always insert marriage notices when furnished so promptly, but we must request our friends not to send in long lists of wedding presents, as we cannot spare space for their publication, and, if we could, it would not be doing justice to the great mass of our subscribers, to whom such lists would be of no interest.

A. F. Hayes, our efficient foreman, has gone to join Burr Robbins' great railroad show. We regret to part with him, and, whenever he desires, and there is a vacancy in the NORTHERNER office, we shall be pleased to give him a situation. He will be succeeded by Ed. Kishburne, late foreman of the *Albion Recorder*, one of the best job printers in Michigan.

Several of our exchanges state that 223 votes were cast in this county for Thomas W. Cooley, instead of Thomas M. Cooley. It isn't true. The ballots were all right, but the clerk of the township board returned them wrong, and the board of county canvassers, knowing that Morse was elected by a large majority, did not think it worth while to remain in session for another day, in order to correct the mistake.

Mrs. Eleanor McNett of Bangor, Mich., died at that place on Monday of last week, and was buried there on Wednesday, the 22d inst. Mrs. M. was one of the old pioneers, being 81 years old, and having been a resident of Michigan for the past 51 years. She was a sister of Mrs. W. K. Butler of this township, and mother of Mrs. H. S. Harrell of Waverly and Mrs. R. O. Hatch of Hartford, both of whom were present at the funeral services.

A story is going the rounds of the papers concerning a man who has passed his three score and ten, and who never swore, never used any tobacco, never made a kite, never skated, never played marbles, cards, billiards or croquet, never sang a song, never struck a man or boy, never drank a dram of rum, whiskey, brandy, wine, beer or cider, never went home with the girls, and never was sick in his life. The story must be true "for he himself hath said it." He was an awful good boy and is a fair kind of a man—a preacher—but he never had much fun.

Edson Woodman Esq., our noted breeder of Percheron horses and Shetland ponies, passed through this village on Saturday last, with seven head of fine horses which he had purchased in the eastern part of the state. The lot consisted of 2 five year olds, and 2 two year old stallions, 1 two years old and 2 five years old mares. Edson's method of leading them was quite novel and attracted a good deal of attention. As a horseman Mr. Woodman is a success, and the secret of his success is his determination to handle no inferior stock.

Josh. Bangs, manager of the new Cleveland Bay station, Young Luck's All, was astonished last Friday evening, on going to the stall occupied by the horse, to find an angular gash cut in the fleshy portion of the horse's hip, extending about five inches each way and nearly three inches deep. As the stall was a new box stall, perfectly smooth, and without a splinter, nail or other substance on which the horse could injure himself, the manner in which the cut was inflicted is a mystery. Fortunately it is in such a location as not to disable him, even temporarily.

The Bangor Reflector criticises the programme of the spring fair. Probably it would, in the judgment of the critic, be better for the society to stay in the old rut, until bankruptcy and foreclosure ended its career, than to adopt any new methods calculated to bring dollars to its treasury, and to enable it to pay its debts and cancel its mortgages. The money offered for trotting is entirely outside of the funds of the society, and is contributed by donations from citizens of Paw Paw and vicinity. If they like to see horses trot and are willing to pay for it, why should the Reflector be troubled?

The Lawrence correspondent of the *Advance* desires to know if a person holding a mortgage on real estate is obliged to discharge the same when paid, and what is the penalty for a failure to do so. Section 5,704, Howell's Statutes of Michigan, answers the inquiry. Such section provides that, if any mortgagee, after full performance of the conditions of the mortgage, and after being requested to discharge the same, and being tendered his reasonable charges therefor, shall for the space of seven days neglect or refuse to discharge the same, he shall be liable in the sum of \$100, to any party having an interest in the mortgaged premises, as well as to all other actual damages sustained.

Fred Covert has parted from his wife—left her at her father's on a visit.

Pastor Donst has succeeded admirably in supplying his desk to the satisfaction of his congregation, the past two Sabbaths.

That writ of *habeas corpus* in the Richmond case, to which we alluded some time since has been brought to a head by Pres. Atty. Chandler. It resulted in a conviction of the respondent. We understand the case will go to the supreme court.

Died, in this village, of diphtheria, on Thursday last, at about five o'clock p. m. Miss Nita Avery, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Avery, aged about 11 years. Little Nita was a more than ordinarily bright and intelligent little girl, and universally beloved.

Her father had just recovered from an attack of the dread disease, and on Monday night his daughter was attacked with it resulting in her death as above stated. The blow falls with crushing effect upon the bereaved parents, and words fail to express the deep and heartfelt sympathy felt by the entire community. It is hoped that such precautions have been taken as will prevent the spread of the disease, but a good deal of anxiety will be felt concerning the matter for some time to come.

**Van Buren Co. Agricultural Society.**

The first special spring meeting of the Van Buren County Agricultural Society, to be held on the 21st, 22d and 23d days of May, bids fair to prove a matter of great interest. The rules governing the meeting, the premiums etc., are a wide departure from the old routine of county fairs. The annual sheep shearing festival of the Wool Growers' Association of Eastern Van Buren and Western Kalamazoo counties, which will be held on the second day of the meeting, will be one of its interesting features. The speed department promises to be much more than ordinarily attractive. The society offers \$600 in trotting purses, and some fine horses are expected to be present. Now let every one assist, as best he may, and the experiment of a spring fair is an assured success. The society, under its new management seems to be putting the best foot forward, and we anticipate for it greater success in the future than it has met with for some time past.

**Circuit Court.**

People vs. Ralph Richmond. Violation of liquor law. Respondent sentenced to 10 days in jail and \$25 fine, with an additional 60 days in jail in default of payment of fine.

W. E. Sweet vs. James Weston. Continued.

C. S. Ingraham vs. A. Sherman et al. Judgment, by default \$394.80 and costs.

Jacob Floresheim vs. Peter Mackellar. Judgment by default \$214.41 and costs.

Elvira C. Hendrick vs. Jacob Hungerford. Judgment by default \$157 and costs.

Harriet B. Lee vs. Geo. G. Lee. Divorce. Decree granted.

Maria C. Worthington et al. vs. James Strouts et al. Foreclosure. Decree and order of sale granted.

S. B. Walton vs. H. K. Nooney. Defendant awarded costs and \$20 att'y fee.

Pliny Irwin vs. Elizabeth Newcomb. Motion granted for new trial.

Charles Shepard vs. Ann E. Shepard. Ejectment, on trial.

**Death of Luther Dean.**

The death of the good is a felt loss to the world. "Sacred to the memory" should be the epitaph written on the hearts of all who love the pure and true. Men must die, but their deeds may live on, to be a very blessing to all coming generations. Silently, such a pure heart life has gone out of our midst. We would enshrine his virtues in our heart of hearts, and live them over in a nobler life. Luther Dean was born in Orleans county, N. Y., Nov. 24th, 1828; died at South Haven, Mich., April 21st 1885, being 57 years of age. He was married May 4th, 1853, to Mary F. Richmond, and now, after a most happy union of over thirty years, she and two sons are left to mourn the loss of a loving husband and faithful father. In the fall of the same year, he came to Michigan, settling near Paw Paw, where he lived until the spring of 1884, at which time he moved to South Haven. Patiently and earnestly, he contributed his share of labor in redeeming this country from its wilderness wild, and in dedicating it to civilization, learning and religion. In 1854, he made the good confession, and, by Elder William Roe, was baptized in baptism, into the death of our Lord, and rose up to a new life, new faith and new aspirations. He was ever faithful in the performance of his Christian duties, ready to minister of his means, to the cause of truth and a suffering world, and in all his dealings with his fellow-man, he endeavored to illustrate the orthodoxy of his faith by the orthodoxy of a pure and noble life. Given the life, it is easy to forecast the death. As he lived, so he died. Suffering greatly, as he did from consumption's ghastly power, yet his spirit triumphed over every fear. He desired to "live for those who loved him and the good he could do," yet he feared not to depart and was found ready when the final summons came. Loving relatives and friends ministered to him through the long hours of suffering, tenderly depositing his remains in Lakeview cemetery. All of nature's voices are pitched in a minor key, the world's sad cry of sin and pain. Mourn softly then, O ye waves, your sad requiem of the dead, for we may hope that he shall rise again, and then, in major strains, sing the choral song of the redeemed. X.

**E. O. Briggs and W. C. Mackellar.**

At a regular communication of Paw Paw Lodge, No. 25, F. & A. M., held April 28, 1885, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased the Great Architect of the universe to remove from our midst our late brother, E. O. Briggs and W. C. Mackellar; and WHEREAS, It is but just that fitting recognition of their many virtues should be had; therefore, be it RESOLVED, By Paw Paw Lodge, No. 25 of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, that, while we bow with humble submission to the will of the Most High, we do not the less mourn for our brothers who have been taken from us.

RESOLVED, That in the death of E. O. Briggs and W. C. Mackellar this lodge laments the loss of two brothers who were ever ready to proffer the hand of aid and the voice of sympathy to the needy and distressed of the fraternity, active members of this society, whose untimely deaths were ever exerted for its welfare and prosperity, friends and companions who were dear to us all, citizens whose upright and noble lives were standards of emulation to their fellows.

RESOLVED, That these resolutions be spread upon the records of this lodge, and that a copy thereof be transmitted to the families of the deceased brothers, and to each of the newspapers of Paw Paw.

L. C. HURD,  
A. H. SMITH,  
C. E. OGDEN, Secy.